

AMENDMENTS TO CLAIMS

1-5 (Canceled)

6. (New) An electro-luminescent element arrangement for footwear, comprising:
at least one electro-luminescent element having multiple lit areas including electrodes and phosphor coatings; and
means for attaching the electro-luminescent element to footwear,
wherein said multiple lit areas are switched on and off to provide an impression of motion in at least two dimensions, and
wherein said multiple lit areas are visible through individual windows.
7. (New) An electro-luminescent element arrangement as claimed in claim 6, wherein said windows are formed by a process selected from the group consisting of stenciling, cutting, silkscreening, injection, and masking.
8. (New) An electro-luminescent element arrangement as claimed in claim 6, wherein said electro-luminescent element includes multiple pieces, and said impression of motion extends to said multiple pieces.
9. (New) An electro-luminescent element arrangement as claimed in claim 6, wherein said at least two of said multiple lit areas are stacked to provide an impression of three-dimensional illumination.
10. (New) An electro-luminescent element arrangement as claimed in claim 6, wherein said multiple lit areas have different characteristics selected from the group consisting of colors, brightnesses, designs, and geometric forms.